House of Representatives



General Assembly

File No. 771

January Session, 2013

House Bill No. 6458

House of Representatives, May 8, 2013

The Committee on Appropriations reported through REP. WALKER of the 93rd Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE NEW ENGLAND DISASTER TRAINING CENTER ACTIVITY ACCOUNT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2013) There is established an
- 2 account to be known as the "New England Disaster Training Center
- 3 activity account" which shall be a separate, nonlapsing account within
- 4 the General Fund. The account shall contain any moneys required by
- 5 law to be deposited in the account and any moneys obtained from the
- 6 proceeds of operational activities of the New England Disaster
- 7 Training Center. Moneys in the account shall be expended by the
- 8 Adjutant General for the purpose of operating the New England
- 9 Disaster Training Center. The Adjutant General may apply for and
- 10 accept gifts, grants and donations from public or private sources for
- 11 the purposes of said account and any such gifts, grants or donations
- shall be deposited in said account.

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This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1 July 1, 2013 New section

VA Joint Favorable C/R APP

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OFA Fiscal Note

State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

Explanation

The bill, which establishes the "New England Disaster Training Center activity account" as a non-lapsing account within the General Fund, has no fiscal impact.

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State Impact: None

Municipal Impact: None

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OLR Bill Analysis HB 6458

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SUMMARY:

This bill establishes the New England Disaster Training Center activity account, a separate, nonlapsing General Fund account for operating the New England Disaster Training Center and containing proceeds of its operations. The bill authorizes the Adjutant General to (1) draw from the account to operate the center and (2) apply for and accept public or private gifts, grants, and donations to fund the account.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2013

BACKGROUND

New England Disaster Training Center

The New England Disaster Training Center, located in Camp Hartell in Windsor Locks, Connecticut, provides facilities and training to civilian and military emergency responders to build, practice, and integrate clinical, logistical, and leadership skills in disaster response.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Veterans' Affairs Committee

Joint Favorable Change of Reference Yea 13 Nay 0 (03/07/2013)

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable Yea 52 Nay 0 (04/22/2013)